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| Explain that you are now going to make words using a set of letters that when combined will spell a "mystery word."  **BASKET**   * Ask students if they can think of a three-letter word (using the given letters) that begins with the letter *b* and is something you use to hit a ball (bat). * Next ask students to change the beginning letter to make a word that means what you did on the chair (*sat*). * Then ask students to change the vowel to tell what you do when you put dishes on a table (*set*). * Tell students to keep the *s* and *e* and put two letters in front to name what a baseball player runs to after hitting the ball (*base*). * Ask students to make a three-letter word that tells what you do when you have a question (*ask*). * Have students put a *b* in front to make a word that means enjoying the sun (*bask)* * "mystery word" by adding the last two letters to *bask.* If hints are needed, tell them that the word names something that you might carry things in (*basket*). |
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| **GARDEN** |

A small piece of cloth used for cleaning (rag)

Where a bear sleeps in the winter (den)

The part of your body used for hearing (ear)

Add a letter to the beginning of “ear” to make another word for close by (near)

A four letter word that means to pull something (drag)

“Mystery Word” Use all the letters to make the place where flowers grow.

**ANIMALS**

The opposite of out (in)

The part of a boat the catches wind and makes it move (sail)

Change the fist letter in “sail” to name what you hit with a hammer (nail)

Change the first letter in “nail” to describe how you send a letter (mail)

What a boy turns into when he grows up (man)

“Mystery Word” Use all the letters to spell what lives in a zoo (animals)

**OVERALLS**

The thing you use to row a boat (oar)

Take one letter from “oar” to make a word that sounds the same (or)

What you do with money if you don’t spent it (save)

Use the same letters in “save” to spell a container for flowers (vase)

The opposite of under (over)

“Mystery Word” Add the last four letters to the end of “over” to make the word for a type of clothing some farmers wear.(overalls)

**FRIEND**

The part of the fish that helps it swim (fin)

Add one letter to “fin” to make another word for all right (fine)

Change the last letter in fine to make the opposite of lose (find)

The true color of a stop sign (red)

What do you do on a bicycle (ride)

“Mystery Word” Use all the letters to make another word for buddy (friend)

**STORE**

Something you do to the table before you eat (set)

The things that wiggle on your feet (toes)

To spoil or go bad (rot)

Describe your throat when it hurts (sore)

A beautiful flower (rose)

“Mystery Word” Where do you go to buy things (store)